ABSTRACT:

The invention relates to a method of automatic recognition of company names in speech utterances.

To reduce the error rate during automatic recognition of company names, there is provided that

5   -   at least one word sequence hypothesis is generated by a speech recognizer (10) from a speech utterance consisting of one or more words,

-    a comparison is made of the word sequence hypothesis with the entries representing company names stored in a database (15),

-    in dependence on the result of the comparison, one company name is selected as a

10   recognition result (16).

Fig. 2